GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3166
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CISF PATROL ON NATIONAL HIGHWAYS
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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Central Industrial Security Force (CISF) has decided to patrol the National Highways, including the Golden Quadrilateral and North South East West corridors;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether CISF is yet to receive a sum of Rs. 600/- crore for the security cover provided by it to various Government industrial units;

(d) if so, the details thereof;

(e) whether it is also true that the CISF had agreed to provide consultancy to the Delhi Metro Rail Corporation on the security aspects; and

(f) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI CH.VIDYASAGAR RAO)

(a)&(b): On the request of NHAI, Central Industrial Security Force (CISF) was deployed on Amer-Kotputli Segment of NH-8 w.e.f. 7.11.2001 as a pilot project. CISF has also undertaken security survey on 7 segments of 3 National Highways.

(c)&(d): The outstanding dues for security cover provided by CISF to 207 Government industrial units were Rs.733.39 crores (approx.) as on 1.11.2002.

(e)&(f): Yes, Sir. In the month of June, 2000 CISF conducted a survey of Delhi Metro Rail as a consultancy project and a report detailing suggestions for security and fire safety of the metro rail network has been submitted to the DMRC.